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Attorney Docket No.: FORS-01756

A CLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below-pamed inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name. I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: RAPID DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF PATHOGENS. The specification of which was filed on 08/30/95 as Serial No. 08/520,946. I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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Prior Foreign Application(s)				
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, subject matter of each of the claims of thi first paragraph of Title 35, United States of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a) which of date of this application:	is application is not di Code. 8 112. I acknow	isclosed in the price whether the second in the price when the duty to	r United States application in the disclose material information as of	manner provided by the lefined in Title 37, Code
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I hereby declare that all statements made believed to be true; and further that these punishable by fine or imprisonment or bo may jeopardize the validity of the application. Full Name of First Joint Inventor: Mary	statements were mad oth, under Section 100 ution or any patent iss	e with the knowle I of Title 18 of th	lge that willful false statements ar	id the like so made are
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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR § 1.9(c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

I hereby declare that I am an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

Name of Concern:

THIRD WAVE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Address of Concern:

1250 Cloverleaf Drive, Monrovia, California 91016

I hereby declare that the above-identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR §§ 121.3-18, and reproduced in 37 CFR § 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention entitled <u>RAPID DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF PATHOGENS</u> by inventor(s) <u>Mary Ann D. Brow et al.</u> described in Application Serial No. 08/520,946, filed 08/30/95.

If the rights held by the above-identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR § 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR § 1.9(e).

'NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to

the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR § 1.27).

Full Name:

Address:

[] Individual [] Small Business Concern [] Nonprofit Organization

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR § 1.28(b)).

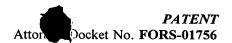
I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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THIRD WAVE TECHNOLOGIES, INC., as assignee of record of the entire interest of the above-identified patent application, hereby appoints the members of the firm of MEDLEN & CARROLL, a firm composed of:

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, as its attorneys with full power of substitution to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

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I hereby certify that the Assignment document filed with the application or filed subsequent to the filing date of the application, has been reviewed and I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is with THIRD WAVE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Dated

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